State	*Tentative programme of purchases (in lakh bales)*
Punjab	1.60
Haryana	1.00
Rajasthan	1.00
Gujarat	1.50
Madhya Pradesh	1.30
Andhra Pradesh	1.80
Karnataka	0.23
Tamil Nadu	0.07
Others	
	8.50

RBI has reported that the information for the year ended March 31, 1991 and for the period from 1st April, 1991 to 31st July, 1991 has not been received from the banks. However, the houding finance targets for the years 1990-91 and 1991-92 are Rs. 387 crores and Rs. 364 crores respectively. There is no state-wise allocation of funds for lending by banks for this purpose.

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Loans for Housing by Public Sector Banks

6000. SHRI VIRENDRA SINGH:
SHRI MAHESH KANODIA:
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state the amount of loans advanced by the public sector banks to individuals and institutions for housing purposes during each of the last three years and the current year, upto 31st July, bank-wise and State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): According to the information furnished for housing to individuals and institutions during the years ended December 31, 1988 and March 31, 1990 was as under:-

(Rs. in Crores)

	Year ended December 31, 1988	*Year ended March 31, 1990*
Direct Finance (Individuals)	20.08	41.61
Indirect Finance (Housing & Urban Development Corporation, Housig Boards, State Level agencies, Housing Development Finance Corporation and others.)	118.27	197.75

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Rejection of Export Items

6001. SHRI VIRENDRA SINGH:
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:

will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) the different items of exports

alongwith their value and quantity which were rejected by various importers of Indian goods during 1990 and 1991 (upto July 31. 1991);

(b) the steps being taken by the Government to ensure that only the goods confirming with the approved samples are exported?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a). The Export Inspection Council of India, New Delhi, which monitors all the complaints regarding the quality of goods exported, has informed that quality of shipments whether under compulsory pre-shipment inspection or otherwise, from the foreign buyers are monitored by various sources to the Export Inspection Agencies. While furnishing the information, in the most of the cases the quantity of the items which have invited quality complaints are not mentioned. Therefore, it is not possible for them to give the quantity of items for which the foreign buyers have lodged quality complaints.

The list of rejected items with value, as furnishished by Export Inspection Council of India, New Delhi is given in the attached statement.

(b) As per EIC, New Delhi, a policy decision has been taken which is aimed at entrusting the responsibility of ensuring the foreign buyers' quality requirements on the emporters themselves and keeping this in view, the present compulsory pre-shipment inspection machinery has been streamlined and liberalised.

STATEMENT

Export Inspection Council, New Delhi (Value of Quality claims lodged by Overseas Buyers)

(Rupees)

Items	*1.1.90 to 31.3.90*	*1.4.90 to 31.3.91*	*1.4.91 to 31.7.91*	*Total (1+2+3)*
1	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*
Textiles	76,828	56,86,917	21,01,584	77,65,329
Fishery Products	6,74,880	31,40,514	6,82,656	44,98,050
Carpets	37,431	—	—	37,431
Cashew	3,23,992	—	—	3,23,992
Chemical & Allied Products	10,08,150	40,57,595	8,98,143	59,63,888
Engineering	9,24,239	51,14,196	33,1,998	93,70,433
Coffee	2,70,000	—	—	2,70,000
Gum Karya	1,95,000	—	—	1,95,000
Onion	72,000	—	—	72,000
Granite Block	7,25,348	—	—	7,25,348
Leaths & Leather Products	2,95,800	7,02,428	56,000	10,54,228

Items	1.1.90 to 31.3.90	1.4.90 to 31.3.91	1.4.91 to 31.7.91	Total (1+2+3)
1	2	3	4	5
Drugs & Pharmaceuticals	16,250	11,02,682	18,798	11,37,730
Food Products	—	97,500	—	97,500
Spices	—	10,31,732	34,970	10,66,702
Jute Products	—	3,08,516	52,000	3,60,516
Tea	—	2,02,607	—	2,02,607
Coir Products	—	10,036	—	10,036
Wood Products	—	34,112	—	34,112
Cashew	—	39,936	—	39,936
Mica	—	17,35,583	—	17,35,583
Vacuum Flask	—	7,22,500	7,39,500	14,62,000
Buffalo Meat	—	2,63,094	—	2,63,094
Gold Jewellery	—	94,807	—	94,807
Pesticdes	—	3,51,765	—	3,51,765

Items	1.1.90 to 31.3.90	1.4.90 to 31.3.91	1.4.91 to 31.7.91	Total (1+2+3)
1	2	3	4	5
Indian made foreign Liquor	—	5,72,104	—	5,72,104
Sport Goods	—	—	1,50,612	1,50,612
Fruits	—	—	6,40,640	6,40,640
Minerals	—	—	6,16,685	6,16,685
Steel Products	—	—	66,30,000	66,30,000
	46,19,918	2,52,68,624	158,53,586	4,57,42,128

Note : Quality complaints have been lodged in different currencies. These currenices have been converted into Indian Rupees at the prevailing foreign exchange rates.